

All Parishioners are invited to our St. Clare



Vatican II Workshop

Discussion of the Decree on the
Apostolate of the Laity

Saturday, February 4, 2012

St. Clare Parish Hall 8:30am – 12 noon

Pope John XXIII set the tone when opening Vatican Council II:

"The Church should never depart from the sacred treasure of truth inherited from the Fathers. But at the same time she must ever look to the present, to the new conditions and the new forms of life introduced into the modern world, which have opened new avenues to the Catholic apostolate."

When John XXIII threw open those world-changing windows in the 60s, the laity was called and empowered in a new way. What do Vatican II documents mean to you as a faith-filled St Clare parishioner today?

Please join us for:

Speaker presentations on the roles, rights and responsibilities of the laity

Hospitality and Discussion time with your fellow parishioners

Q&A with our interesting, easy-to-understand speakers:

James S. Harrison, MA History, MA Pastoral Ministry, MA Education; member, St Philip Neri Parish pastoral council; Professor of and Department Chair for History and Humanities at PCC, Cascade; returned Peace Corps volunteer



Carol J. Dempsey, O.P, Ph.D, Theology Professor at University of Portland; author and editor



Free will offering will be taken following the presentation